

EVIDENCE GIVEN BY LAWSON AND HENRY IN EXPOSE ON "LEAK"

directly into the teeth of Lawson, who sat within three feet of him, the bulky form of "Jerry" South, clerk of the house, being interposed strategically between the two. There was no fear of a personal encounter upon the part of either.

After Henry had entered a sweeping denial Mr. Lawson was heard again. He said:

"The testimony that I have given here is absolutely true to the word, so help me God, without variation. I did not desire to drag in those names. You forced me to it. I had this conversation with your chairman and I left Washington, understanding that there would be no investigation. It had impressed me with the seriousness of this matter and had talked to me so earnestly.

TOLD IT TO EDITOR.

"I went directly to Mr. York and spent two hours with John O'Hara, conservative, managing editor of the New York Sunday World. I laid before him just what I have told you today. I went to Erman Ridgway, editor of Everybody's Magazine, and spent three hours and a half with him telling him just what I have told you today.

In the Belmont hotel in New York at breakfast I met Donald McDonald, a financial editor, whom I had not seen for fifteen years, and I told him about it. He asked me what was going to come of the leak investigation. I told him it was stopped.

AMAZED BY HENRY DENIAL.

"If you don't believe me summon them. This is the most astounding thing that has happened to me in forty-six years of active life in the business world. Why the chairman denies his own words I cannot see.

"What he said to me of my honest man could have said and fairly said, as mentioned Secretary of State Lansing by saying: 'Think of it, Lansing went to breakfast four times in the Belmont hotel with Barney Baruch.' I told him then and agreed with him that there was nothing wrong in that. I know nothing wrong in that. I know Barney Baruch and told him that no straight man ever lived than Mr. Baruch."

Mr. Baruch, who has been a witness, has testified to the extent of his tradings in steel stock during the flurry over the note and the Von Bethmann-Hollweg announcement in the reichstag.

"I WILL GIVE NAMES."

The effect of Lloyd George's "but" in his reply on Baruch's stock operations was also described by the witness.

"You have demanded of me names," said Lawson. "I have given you names—names that have shaken the rafters. I gave you the name of Paul Warburg. Investigate it. In forty-eight hours you'll vindicate me if you try. I'm loaded with information. I'll make good my word here. You sent for me to put me in jail. Here I am and here are the names. Now get at the truth."

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The second question put by Mr. Henry says:

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"Mr. Garrett—I want to see if I understand the full purport of a statement made by you with reference to the conversation had by you with a member of the house, in which he said something about a cabinet officer being connected with the alleged recent leak. Would you kindly repeat just what occurred?"

Knew Matter Was Serious.

"Mr. Lawson—I was being asked by Mr. Campbell whether I had heard of any of the names being mentioned except in some private way. In a serious manner, to show me that the whole subject was a serious affair, was a serious subject, and must be treated seriously, and I agreed with him, that was all."

"Mr. Campbell—Was he mentioned as having speculated or dealt in stocks in connection with the leak?"

"Mr. Lawson—Well, he was mentioned in such a way that was all, and he said that he had speculated himself. He was mentioned in connection with the whole leak, and the speculation in the leak—not just mentioned, but mentioned in a very serious way, and he said it was so serious, and I considered it so serious, I refused to go further with it unless it was necessary."

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Again Mr. Lawson replied: "Chairman Henry."

Direct Question on Note.

The chairman read the third question without pausing for an answer to the second. Mr. Henry said: "Mr. Lawson, when you appeared last before this committee you were questioned concerning any information in your possession relating to the alleged leak."

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Men Named by T. W. Lawson in 'Leak' Scandal Deny Guilt

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo issued a statement late today saying "no more shameless and wanton lie could be conceived" than the rumor that he had been interested "at any time and in any manner whatever" in stock speculation or had been connected in any manner whatever with an alleged "leak" about the so-called peace note.

Secretary to the President Tumulty said it was not necessary for him to add to the definite statement he made at the hearing of the rules committee some time ago.

Statement by McAdoo.

The statement issued by Secretary McAdoo follows:

"No man should be called upon to notice such detestable and irresponsible gossip and slander, but since my name has been mentioned I wish to say that no more shameless and wanton lie could be conceived than the rumor or suggestion that I have been interested at any time and in any manner whatever in stock speculations or purchases of stock in any time or elsewhere, or that I have been connected in any manner whatever with the alleged 'leak' about the so-called peace note."

Work of Putrid Gamblers.

The putrid putrid politicians and the putrid stock gamblers in New York and Boston are giving the country a painful exhibition of the contemptible methods to which they resort in their efforts to injure the administration.

"If any man in or out of congress will assume responsibility for these slanders or if I can secure legal proof of the guilt of such a man I will have him put in the penitentiary where he belongs."

"It is time that an example be made of the four scoundrels who make a profession of whispered and baseless insinuations against men in public life."

"Use of Name Absurd"—Price.

Mr. W. D. Price, Washington newspaper man, made the following statement:

"The absolute falsity and absurdity of the use of my name is clearly shown in the fact that I know nothing of the president's intention to issue a peace note."

ing questions were asked and you gave the following answers:

"Mr. Lenroot—You also stated in answer to Mr. Campbell there were many members of congress engaged in buying and selling stocks that it did not occur to you to particularize as to any one of them. You made that statement?"

"Mr. Lawson—Yes, that is what I said. I would say it if I did not."

"Mr. Lenroot—Have you knowledge, Mr. Lawson, of any member of congress buying and selling stock either for speculation or investment?"

"Mr. Lawson—I have in a general way."

"Mr. Lenroot—Are you willing to give the names?"

"Mr. Lawson—No, I am not willing to give names unless it is necessary. I am not going to smirch anybody to just see how it reads or sounds."

"By direction of the committee I now ask you to give the names of members of congress referred to by you in your testimony."

"I cannot give them," was Lawson's reply.

"Then you refuse to give them?" demanded Chairman Henry.

"No, I cannot give them," was the reply.

Letter Is Brought In.

Mr. Henry then propounded the fifth question, which was as follows:

"Mr. Lawson, on the 8th day of January, when you appeared before this committee, the following questions were asked you, and you gave the following answers:

"Mr. Lenroot—I would like to have you identify that letter [handing paper] to witness, which stenographer marked Exhibit A to Mr. Lawson's testimony."

"Mr. Lawson—Yes, that is my letter."

"Mr. Lenroot—In this letter marked Exhibit A appears the language [reading] 'the beneficiaries of this deliberately engineered leak, including high and low lawbreakers and law administrators and others engaged in the direction of our own and other government's affairs.' That purports to be a statement of facts."

"Mr. Lawson—Yes."

"Mr. Lenroot—Made by you?"

"Mr. Lawson—Yes, sir."

"Mr. Lawson—I think so. You are not trying to make me state that they had previous knowledge of the leak?"

Reads Letter of Woman.

"By direction of the committee, I now ask you to name any persons who have given you any information, or evidence, or substantiation of these statements made by you."

"Do you want me to give any names other than those I have already given?"

"Have I got to give any names that I can recall? I am to understand that the chair is sitting as judge of the matter?"

Chairman Henry told the witness that the house had directed the committee on rules to ask him certain questions, and that he would have to answer the

appeal until fellow newspaper men dropping into the White House from the state department told me of Secretary Lansing's first intimation that something was coming later. They stated, however, that he said it was not a peace proposal, but dealt with economic questions.

"As the writing of this news was not up to me, I said no further attention to it. I did not buy or sell a single share of stock before, at, or since that time."

Denial from Tumulty.

Secretary Tumulty gave out this statement:

"After the complete and definite statement last week it should hardly be necessary for me to say that there is not a scintilla of truth in these flimsy charges."

tions were asked you and you gave the following answers:

"Mr. Bennett—Mr. Lawson, you made a statement yesterday about an account in the Wall Street Journal, which you very properly said you had merely 'heard' knowledge?"

"Mr. Lawson—Yes, sir."

"Mr. Bennett—In which an alleged senator, an alleged banker, and an alleged member of the cabinet were dealing in Wall Street and dividing the profits equally between them. Did I understand you to say that the information as to that alleged account had come to you from two separate sources?"

"Mr. Lawson—No, I stated it had come from one source and had been corroborated by another."

"Mr. Bennett—So that in the end, as a result of your own inquiries, you had the information from one person and then the corroboration to a certain extent at least from another?"

"Mr. Lawson—Yes, sir."

Kept Away from Principals.

"By direction of the committee I now ask you to state the names of the persons referred to by you in your testimony as to the identity of the congressional members of the principals."

"Mr. Lawson replied, 'In gathering information I purposely tried to keep away from principals. Mr. White and Mr. Lenroot were mentioned. The cabinet officer was Mr. McAdoo; the banker, Flisk, and the senator was referred to as 'O.'"

Mr. Lawson was then asked a number of questions by Chairman Henry in regard to the identity of the congressional members of the principals. He never testified that he had derived information involving in the leak discussion in names of high officials.

Mr. Lawson repeated his answers to the first and second questions, stating that the congressional member to whom he referred was Chairman Henry.

Mr. Henry thereupon read to Mr. Lawson part of a letter he had written to him on Jan. 12, in which Mr. Lawson had again mentioned the fact that a cabinet officer was said to be involved in the leak.

Mr. Henry mentioned every member of the cabinet one by one, and asked the witness as he named each one whether he had reference to him.

Mentions Name of Lansing.

"Do you mean, Mr. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury?" finally asked Chairman Henry.

"I have already stated that I referred to Secretary McAdoo," answered Mr. Lawson.

"Did you refer to Mr. Lansing?" asked the chairman.

"Not in this connection."

"Do you in any connection?"

"Do you mean to draw Mr. Lansing's name into the discussion?" inquired Chairman Henry.

"At this question the witness lost control of himself and gradually led up to the 'leak' now under fire held no interest for him, he said he readily agreed."

Reply Made by Henry.

Chairman Henry rose from his seat and told Lawson that he would be excused temporarily. Taking the stand, Henry began a statement. He first reviewed the introduction of the "leak" resolution by Representative Wood of Indiana; told of seeing Lawson's charges in the newspapers; that there was a "leak" and gradually led up to Lawson's visit to Washington to confer with him.

"I told Mr. Lawson," Henry said, "that this was a very important and serious matter, and that in so far as I was personally concerned I would impose no restriction of confidence, but that if he had any facts that he thought he should give in confidence I would respect his confidence. I asked him over and over again to name any man who might have knowledge of the subject. He did not name a single person and I did not name one."

"Here today, I declare that during our three hours' conversation I did not mention the name of any cabinet officer he mentioned here today. I never mentioned the name of a banker, a senator, nor a great official to him. I have no fear of my reputation in the house or in the country, and what this gentleman says here today doesn't even disturb me."

Wanted to Lead Inquiry.

Mr. Henry then referred to a communication Lawson had sent him early in January asking that an inquiry into the stock exchange be inaugurated and that he be put in charge of it. Lawson said in the letter that he would like to have charge "like Sam Untermyer did in the Pulo investigation."

If he could not produce valuable evidence, Lawson said, he would be willing to be "ignominiously fired."

"After that," Henry exclaimed dramatically, "he comes and tells me this house and the country that he got his information from me."

Then turning upon Lawson, Mr. Henry shouted:

"Mr. Lawson I could say more. I could take another course, but I have made my statement and submit it to the house and to the country."

No Names Were Mentioned.

"Did I understand you to say," asked Representative Garrett, "that you never mentioned any names to Mr. Lawson?"

"I did not," Mr. Henry replied, "nor did he. I should add here that when Lawson was on the stand, two or three times I had said to him that 'the bridges are off' in so far as our conference was concerned and he stated nothing to the committee."

Asked by Representative Poff if he had any actual knowledge of any one being connected with the so-called "leak," Henry replied that he never had any such knowledge.

"The first time," he said, "I ever heard of the name of a public official in connection with this matter was at the White House on Jan. 3. I think, when Secretary Tumulty told me he had heard his name was being men-

tioned in rumors circulating in Washington."

Did you ever mention the name of Secretary Lansing or Bernard Baruch to Mr. Lawson? Representative Lenroot asked.

"I did not."

Lawson Asks Full Inquiry.

As Mr. Henry left the witness stand Lawson leaped to his feet with his face flushed and eyes blazing and gave voice to his reiteration of the charges that it was Mr. Henry who gave him the information.

Mr. Henry then asked Lawson if he had not stated that he had received the best part of his information from him.

"Nothing of the kind!" Lawson retorted. "I merely got from you a commonplace, common sense statement, and I cannot understand why at this late day any man should deny it, particularly when it doesn't amount to anything. I am loaded with information. I'll make good here, and not go to jail as the goat."

"You have said you would make good, will you make good now? Warburg?" asked Mr. Henry.

"I have given you the names," was Lawson's terse reply.

"How can you make good?" Mr. Henry asked.

"O, you can't bind me down here unless you send me to jail," said Lawson defiantly. "I recognized the authority of this committee. I gave you a letter a little while ago, that I would rather have given \$100,000 than to disclose, but you made me do it. I would rather have one of my fingers cut off."

"O, let's adjourn and take a rest!"

Representative Poff intervened, and this brought the turbulent proceedings of the day to an end.

Deny Bernstorff Gained.

This was not the first time the name of the German ambassador has come up in discussion of the "leak." It will be recalled in this connection that Karl Armgaard Graves, arrested for attempting to extort \$8,000 from Countess von Bernstorff for the delivery of certain letters written to her by a woman relative in Berlin, charged that the German ambassador had made millions of dollars in the stock market.

When Mr. Lawson denied vaguely at a "foreclosed" last week Count von Bernstorff's name was promptly linked with his hints. Asked whether he was the man, the German ambassador denied it, and remarked that he was innocent, that he had not received any advance information regarding the peace offer of the central powers, and that he never had been able to master the machinery by which it is possible to make money on a falling market.

Uniformly Ambassador von Bernstorff has denied an utter without foundation every rumor and report that he had profited largely in stock deals or that he has engaged in any deals on the stock market.

him that he wanted his help to run down the leak charges. Lawson said he thanked Henry and urged that they talk freely and in confidence. Henry, he said, explained his position as chairman of the committee, as chairman, into all information that might bear on the investigation. Congress wanted something tangible, he quoted Henry as saying, and added that the chairman asked him to give him any information that he had about any individuals involved.

"I told him that the only thing to be done was to get first hand information and to get it from other people," said Lawson. "I said that I would not give him hearsay information; that my principal reason was that I did not want to beamish any one unjustly, but I declared that I could give him a formula for getting all the information through a real investigation."

"Stake Head on Lansing."

"I asked him what the committee had heard. He said the committee already had heard that Secretary Lansing had gone to the Biltmore hotel in New York four times to meet Bernard Baruch. The chairman also said that he believed Secretary Lansing absolutely innocent of giving any confidential information and he asked me what I thought about it."

BOARD FOES AT ONCE ON COURT VICTORY

City Club Plans to Clear Resi-
dence Districts of All Un-
sightly Display Signs.

Following a decision yesterday by the United States Supreme court upholding the validity of Chicago's billboard ordinance of 1911, which prohibits billboards on residence streets without the consent of more than half of the property owners, Everett L. Millard, chairman of the City club art committee, said a movement will soon be launched to abolish billboards in all residence districts. The decision means hundreds of billboards must be removed. The court held that the city has power to enforce the ordinance to the limit. The ruling is the climax to a legal contest which started a year or so after the passage of the ordinance. The Thomas Cusack company has sought to enjoin the city from enforcing the law.

Will Seek Rehearing.

A petition for a rehearing of the case will be filed, Attorney John S. Hummer, counsel for the Cusack company, announced last night.

"I do not care to discuss the decision at length now," said Mr. Hummer, "as I have not read it. I can say, however, that undoubtedly we will file a bill for a rehearing."

Incidentally, the Cusack company is concerned the decision affects not more than fifteen or twenty boards in the city. In the past we have tried to adhere to the ordinance wherever possible. If the rehearing is denied we will have no other recourse."

City Club Committee Acts.

In 1912 the City club art committee pointed out that the billboard law was being violated. Attention was called to a long display board on Sheridan road, south of Irving Park boulevard. Henry Erickson, commissioner of buildings, ordered them taken down, and the Cusack company appealed to Judge Foell. In this action Judge Foell upheld the ordinance, holding the billboard ordinance invalid.

The case then was carried by the city to the state Supreme court, where Judge Foell's decision was reversed. Millard Elated by News.

"This is one of the most important decisions that Chicago has been involved in before the Supreme court," said Chairman Millard. "It upholds the right of the police to order down billboards which affect the city's fire, wind, health hazards."

The decision goes so far as to state that the city can abolish billboards existing in the residence sections, through the consent of the property owners.

"Some time ago the council was approached by us with a petition to tear down all billboards in the residential districts, but action was deferred pending a decision by the federal Supreme court."

He said a new movement to rid the residence districts of billboards entirely, however, will start at once.

Credit Given to Hoover.

Loring R. Hoover, who as assistant corporation counsel argued the case before the state and federal Supreme courts, and to whom Mr. Millard gave full credit, declared the decision is a severe blow to the billboard industry all over the country.

"Undoubtedly," said Mr. Hoover, "the larger cities will follow Chicago's lead in this forward step toward the 'city beautification' in restricting the use of such detrimental structures, now that the Supreme court has held the power to do so exists. Sentiment against billboards which shut off beautiful views and afford protection to idlers and disorderly persons is strong in American cities from coast to coast."

"This decision also sustains the validity of the frontage consent provision ordinance, which apply to the construction of garages, livery stables, and other similar businesses in residence blocks, and upholds the method in operation in this city requiring petitions permitting the location of saloons."

Chester E. Cleveland, acting corporation counsel, declared the decision of importance to Chicago.

"If the Supreme court had upheld Judge Foell," he said, "all the city's claims of power to require frontage consents for saloons, livery stables, garages, blacksmith shops, and similar places would have been jeopardized."

Wacker Also Pleased.

"This city should be greatly gratified by the decision," Charles H. Wacker, chairman of the city plan commission, said.

Add. Meritism also was gratified.

Superior Court
FOR GARY, IND.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 15.—[Special.]—The Indiana senate today received a favorable report on Senator Kinder's bill proposing that one of the three Superior courts in Lake county be placed at Gary, from the committee on the organization of courts.

A bitter fight on the measure is being waged by various organizations and residents of Hammond, East Chicago, Whiting, and Crown Point, and they were active during the morning in an attempt to obtain a delay in the report, stirring with Senator White and other members of the committee.

Superior courts Nos. 1 and 2 in the county now are at Hammond; all the law time and at Crown Point, the county seat, the other half. The circuit court sits at Crown Point only. Gary is added to that place. The bill was passed on second reading.

Bar Will Leave \$200,000 to St. Louis Institutions

Newark, N. J., Jan. 15.—Requests of approximately \$200,000 are made to educational and charitable institutions in St. Louis by the will filed here today of Mrs. Emily S. Barr, widow of William Barr, formerly a dry goods merchant in that city. The will disposes of an estate valued at about \$2,000,000, the residue being left to Mrs. Barr's children and grandchildren. Mrs. Barr died Jan. 2.

MENTIONED IN THE LEAK INQUIRY

Some of the Figures Whose Names Are Brought In Testimony of Thomas W. Lawson.



Robert L. Henry
Pliny Fiske
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Joseph P. Funnally
A.S. White
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MURDERED MAN FOUND IN LOOP

Police Believe Jack Rollers
Felled Him—Evidence
of Robbery.

What the police term a "jack roller" murder was discovered last night by a Pinkerton watchman passing through an alley between Clark and Federal, and Van Buren and Jackson streets.

The victim was Julius Enstrom, 1122 Sedgwick street. He was identified by cards found in his pockets. He was a member of the Lake Carriers' association.

A blow on the back of the head that fractured the skull convinced the police that "jack rollers" committed the murder for robbery. The hip pockets had been turned inside out. No weapon was found.

Body in Alley.

Joseph Scher, the watchman, found the body 100 feet north of Van Buren street.

Detectives from the bureau, the central station, and the first deputy's office swarmed to the spot. On account of the proximity of the Princess hotel it was thought the man might have been thrown from a rear window. This theory was soon exploded.

A discolored object on the left side of the face convinced the police that he was struck from behind and fell forward.

There are several "barrel house" saloons in the vicinity. The supposition is that Enstrom displayed money in one of those places and was followed to the alley.

Struck from Behind.

"He was probably followed into the alley and strangled with a belt or a piece of lead pipe," said a detective. "He fell and 'jack rollers' went through his pockets."

WET CAFES GET
GENTLE HINT TO
QUIT AGITATION

From the city law department yesterday came a gentle hint that if the "wet" restaurants do not stop battling against the 1 o'clock closing ordinance they may be compelled to close on Sunday.

Corporation Counsel Etteson went to Springfield in the morning and left Chester E. Cleveland, first assistant, in charge of his office. Mr. Cleveland was asked what he thought of the situation in reference to the "lid."

"Judge Foell," he said, "has indicated he will hold the 1 o'clock closing law invalid in reference to liquor selling restaurants. If the restaurant men are not willing to admit the city has power to license and regulate restaurants, they will be looked upon as ordinary saloonkeepers so far as the law is concerned. I don't see any way out of it."

There has been no court test of the question whether the Illinois Sunday closing law applies to restaurants where liquor is sold on week days.

91,000,000 Await Call
to Our Sunday Schools

The population of North America is 100,000,000. The Sunday school enrollment is 18,000,000. Persons not in Sunday school 82,000,000. It was interesting to learn that the National Sunday school convention at the Hotel La Salle and this was one of the statements made by the president Marion Lawrence, to show there was still room for advance closing law in Sunday school activities.

Stroke Kills Wedding Musician.

Anthony Marzilli, of 237 Westworth avenue, was stricken with heart disease while playing at a wedding at 2311 Westworth avenue last night. He died after being taken to his home by the police.

CALLS EVANSTON CHURCHGOERS SERMON SATED

Residents of Evanston were described by the Rev. J. M. Siffer, pastor of the First Baptist church of the suburb, as overt and underworked at a luncheon of the Chicago church federation at the Union League club given yesterday by George W. Dixon, John Nuvens, J. J. Arnold, and A. M. Johnston.

"Evanstonians have sucked in so many sermons," he said, "they are full. They have led a sedentary life so long without religious exercise they have no vigor."

The charges against the Rev. W. B. Millard, secretary of the federation, were referred to only indirectly.

"There have been criticisms of the church federation," said the Rev. Herbert L. Willett, president of the federation. "The criticisms which are true we will take to heart, those which are not true we will let pass by."

Mrs. O. M. Mathew, president of the Women's Church federation, declared the federation could not have been organized without the help of the church federation and Dr. Millard.

"The criticisms which are true we will take to heart, those which are not true we will let pass by."

"You must be on the alert," he said. "There are interests back of this proposed indeterminate franchise plan that are trying to get a strangle hold on the public. You must help protect the public's rights and see that we do not put our heads in the noose. To grant the indeterminate franchise at the present time would mean granting a perpetual franchise."

"It will take \$14,000,000," said Mr. Arnold, "to build a subway that would be adequate to handle the present traffic on the loop. It is not wise, economically speaking, to spend this money."

Mr. Arnold said that when subways are built the city should have the title in them from the start. He said that the plans considered now provide that investors shall not receive less than 8 per cent.

Wilson's Smile
WON AT LAST BY
WOMEN PICKETS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—[Special.]—President Wilson and the suffragist pickets at the White House came a step nearer each other today.

As the president returned from his daily game of golf the usual lineup of banners greeted him. But one would have thought the banners contained the most flattering compliments from the character of the ceremonies. The suffragists smiled respectfully; the president took off his hat and bowed low as if he were a knight of old; Mrs. Wilson was with him. Everybody who has heard about the ceremonies today has demanded to know how she took them.

"Was she smiling?" asked one woman. "O, no, she smiled," recorded the little silent sentinel, who had been present. So perhaps we may use the other woman's comment for the interpretation of the narrative.

"Well, well," she observed. "The world do move."

Ask Other Executors
for Von Franz Estate

Allying the youth and inexperience of Peter Von Franz, Benjamin Marcus, former business associate of the late Fritz Von Franz, asked the Probate court yesterday to appoint other executors for the estate left to the young man and his sister and of which Peter is executor.

The petition was also signed by Joseph Finn and M. J. Kuris, creditors of the estate. They made no charges as to the solvency or insolvency of the estate, but admitted the assets were estimated at \$1,275,000.

An accountant said he would require two weeks to complete his examination. The matter was taken under advisement.

CICERO BOARD DODGES CRISIS OVER LIGHT BIDS

Citizens Storm Session and the
Opening of Sealed Offers
Is Put Off.

It was a nice, refined, bloodless meeting for Cicero.

There were several hundred of the citizens of the town at the meeting of the board of trustees to see that the sealed bid of the Public Service Corporation of Northern Illinois was not accepted. The acceptance of the bid would result in what a large number of the Ciceroians, organized in a taxpayers' association, characterize as "the up of the village in a contract that will quadruple its electric lighting expense."

There were six large, healthy policemen stationed about the meeting room of the village hall. The partisans of municipal administration and of the lighting system were primed for action. There was a sharp intake of breaths as the clerk announced the sealed bid. It was the only bid.

But—

Trustee David T. Brennan arose. "I move that the bid be held over unopened until Feb. 26," he said.

President George Comerford asked for a roll call. The motion was unanimously passed. The policemen drew breaths of relief.

Whereupon up rose Citizen Frank Blaha and accused the board of acting on ordinances when there were no townspeople present to act as municipal centers.

"Do you mean to insinuate that the chair is afraid to conduct the affairs of the board in public?" demanded Comerford.

"I do!" said Citizen Blaha stanchly. "I got land, sue me."

The Frexy's Comeback.

"You're brain is slow now," shouted the president, "but it presses on your eyes and makes you as blind as a bat."

"I got land," insisted Citizen Blaha, "sue me!"

"Yes," shouted Citizen William Doole, "ever since I exposed the workings of the millionaire saloonkeeper and the millionaire plumber things have been conducted under cover. I got land, too."

An impromptu protest meeting was organized after the chair retired. Citizen Doole assumed the chairmanship and argued the questions of municipal ownership, the spolia system, the social commonwealth, the high cost of living, birth control, and light—last, but not least—light, fire, sweet, glorious, unnumbered, gratuitous light for the great township of Cicero.

The present hubbub in the village is concerned with the potential sale of the Cicero lighting plant, owned by the township. At a previous meeting Wallace G. Clark of the sanitary district of Chicago said the rates of the Public Service company, maintaining the lighting system owned by the town, were exorbitant. He said that the sanitary district supplied the town with current at an annual cost of \$992, whereas the Public Service company charge is over \$2,000.

"Most of these wise cracking quacks don't know what they're agitating about," said one citizen. "If you want my opinion, all this fuss is being raised on account of the coming elections in April. They raise some complicated issue like this every election."

Ancient Masher Fails in
Role of Modern Svengali

Albert Silbanek, 65 years old, living at 185 South Avers avenue, was arrested as a "masher" by detectives in The Fair yesterday on complaint of Mrs. Beth Jones, a saleswoman. Silbanek, said Mrs. Jones, approached her four times a week for several months, and as a housekeeper in his home.

Detectives stationed themselves at her counter and when Silbanek returned for the fifth time he was arrested and booked on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Swiff's Company's sale of beef in Chicago for the week ending Saturday, Jan. 13, averaged as follows: Domestic beef, 10.91 cents per pound—Advertisement.

SUBWAY FINANCE PLAN DEFENDED

Head of Expert Commission
Says Chicago Can Get
Best Terms.

TERMS OF FRANCHISE.

William Barclay Parsons, chairman of the Chicago traction and subway commission, yesterday stated his reputation as transportation engineer on the financial soundness of the vast traction plan recommended by the commission.

By adopting the commission's recommendations, according to Mr. Parsons, Chicago will be able to obtain the most favorable financial terms of any city in the country.

It was the first appearance of Mr. Parsons before the city council local transportation committee since the report of the commission was made public.

Franchise Chief Obstacle.

Mr. Parsons admitted that the chief obstacle to carrying out the project lies in the franchise question. He placed before the committee the alternatives of granting either a straightaway fifty year franchise or what he called a "terminable" franchise.

In either event it would be necessary to obtain enabling legislation, he said, but he said it would be impossible to get the necessary capital to carry out a plan of this magnitude except on something equivalent to a fifty year franchise basis.

Mr. Parsons strongly urged the "terminable" franchise as representing the most advanced solution of the question. Such a franchise, granted in accordance with the commission's recommendations, according to Mr. Parsons, would enable the city to gain entire possession of the traction property by the year 1935.

Plan as a Whole.

Although the chairman of the commission spoke chiefly of the financial plan, whereby \$27,000,000 would be spent in improving the city's traction system within fifty years, he urged the aldermen to consider the fiscal scheme as an intimate part of the physical and legal elements of the commission's recommendations.

Out report must be considered as a whole," he said. "We want you to forget the past, as the report contemplates wiping out the past. It contemplates the creation of something new and without precedent in Chicago."

The franchise recommended by the commission, Mr. Parsons said, could be terminated in three ways:

1. By revoking the grant for failure to live up to the ordinance.

2. By retiring the company's indebtedness through the operation of a sinking fund, which, it is estimated, could be accomplished in 1935.

3. By stepping in at any time and exercising the city's right of purchase.

Experience in New York.

Mr. Parsons, who has been intimately connected with the construction of subways in New York, frequently answered critics of the commission's work by citing the experience of that city.

"In 1831," he said, "when horse car lines were first proposed for New York, the residents objected because they said the operation of the lines would leave no place for them to pile or chop their wood."

"Years later, in 1894, when the commission of which I was chairman recommended a \$35,000,000 subway system, the press and the public derided our plan as a wild, unrealistic scheme. But work was started on our plan in 1904, and today New York has \$145,000,000 invested in subways."

TOO MANY GIFTS
BEFORE FAILURE
BRING DISASTER

Judge Landis sent J. G. Roper to jail and issued subpoenas for a half dozen others yesterday when he started an inquiry into the bankruptcy of the Roper Furniture company of Dixon, Ill., which he declared, "beats the Halsted street bankruptcy swindle."

Roper is the son of the president of the company. He admitted making gifts of various sums of money to relatives who were stockholders and of permitting them to purchase at "private sale" certain furniture and lumber with which they stocked a new enterprise. Then the firm went into bankruptcy.

Young Roper said he made the gifts because he was "of a generous nature," whereupon the judge decided to give him something—he made it a stay in jail.

HANGED TO DOOR

Mrs. Young Met Death While
Taking Treatment for Rheu-
matic Joints.



Mrs. Charles B. Young
Taking Stretching Treat-
ment for Rheumatism.

In Riverside's "House of Birds" a coroner's jury yesterday gave formal attention to the death by too great devotion to collection of Mrs. Verdell Frazier Young.

Mrs. Young had been found a few hours before hanged to death in a chin strap attached to a door in her home.

It was Mrs. Young's custom to put her head in this appliance in such a manner that by lifting her torso from contact with the floor she would be hanging by her head alone. In this position she would stretch out and rest the joints of her body and would ease with a prospect eventually of curing a rheumatic stiffness which had threatened for a time to limit her activities in her home and in the clubs of which she was a member.

Her husband aided her before.

She had been "hanging herself up" heretofore, however, only while her husband was near to assist her. But yesterday her husband was in New York.

Nevertheless, the weather is presumed to have caused a return of her rheumatism and she sought the chin strap for relief.

In some manner the chin strap slipped and she strangled.

Charles B. Young, her husband, chief mechanical engineer of the Burlington railroad, will arrive today in response to a telegram.

Girlhood Home in Sterling.

Mrs. Young's girlhood home was Sterling, Ill., but for several years she had lived in Aurora, where she sang in the choir of a Baptist church, where Mr. Young played the organ. About nine months ago his position brought him to Riverside.

CUTS GARBAGE COST \$160,000; POLITICS CUT OUT

Public Works Head Accepts
Slash, Promising Greater
Efficiency.

By eliminating politics from the administration of the street bureau Commissioner of Public Works Frank I. Bennett expects this year to improve the collection of garbage and ashes and at the same time reduce the cost \$160,000.

This reduction was adopted last night by the council finance committee after Mr. Bennett had said that even with a 14 per cent retrenchment—\$447,000—he could render at least as good service as last year.

Score Collection Last Year.

Several aldermen said that the collection service in their wards had been "rotten" toward the close of 1916. They intimated this was due to pay roll padding about election time.

The political angle was not discussed openly in the committee, but one of Mr. Bennett's assistants said the new commissioner based his estimates on conducting the bureau solely according to an efficiency standard.

"The only service we have had," said Ald. T. J. Lynch, "is when we make complaint. We have forty complaints a day and the conditions in our ward are rotten."

Doyle Charges Petty Graft.

"The garbage drivers in my ward are petty grafters, some of them," Ald. Doyle said. "Instead of doing work they are paid for, they take tips from business and private scavengers."

Ald. Doyle cited one occasion when he found the ward superintendent had on his payroll seven foremen and but three laborers.

"If we had seven garbage inspectors and more laborers we'd save money and get better service," remarked Ald. Block.

Hold Reduction to 5 Per Cent.

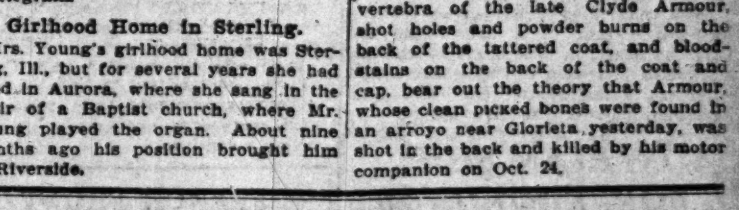
When the committee first considered the ward appropriations it was proposed to make the same 14 per cent horizontal reduction that has been applied to all departments. On a final showdown, however, the aldermen could not summon the nerve to make the reduction greater than 5 per cent, or about \$160,000.

Accordingly there will be \$3,040,270 available for ward activities this year as against \$3,196,135 in 1916.

Figures on the total of doing work show that the appropriations aggregate \$23,045,000. Even on Controller Pike's latest estimate of resources, the city will only have \$27,016,288 to meet the year's expenditures.

PROVES ARMOUR
WAS MURDERED
IN NEW MEXICO?

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 15.—Shot dug out today from the rear of the cervical vertebra of the late Clyde Armour, shot holes and powder burns on the back of the tattered coat, and blood stains on the back of the coat and cap, bear out the theory that Armour, whose clean picked bones were found in an arroyo near Glorieta, yesterday, was shot in the back and killed by his motor companion on Oct. 24.



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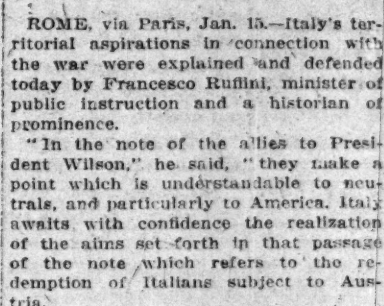
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 civilization in their history, that of
 Italy, and only one great humiliation
 —which must cease—that of foreign domi-
 nation, which attempted to destroy the
 principle of nationality.

War Forced by Austria.

"Austria was responsible for the outbreak of the conflict, having willed war with Serbia after provoking Italy 160 times with violent persecutions of Italians of Trent, Trieste, Fiume, and Zara, who she denied even the right to educate their children." The author says:

"Once the conflagration was kindled, Italy felt that fate called her to complete her racial unity and resume her just and holy work and her wars of independence, which have been studied with such enthusiasm by the historic American historians of history."

The author goes on to say that Italy's "victories were the result of the historical justice of Austria's violent usurpations were surprised by Italy's action."

Vaclav von Niemcewiski, grandson of the president of the last Polish national government in 1890, responded, after Prince Gen. von Bismarck, the kaiser and the two emperors, declared the session open.

In the course of his remarks Von Niemcewiski said:

Within these venerable walls (Kings' Hall) our ancient and future sons of our kings, where on Nov. 5 the reestablishment of the Polish state was proclaimed in the name of two powerful monarchs, we see today the first sign of the realization of the promises made to the Polish nation by us. As members of the provisional state council of the nucleus of the Polish government we appear before your excellencies and express our sincere gratitude for the friendly words of greeting.

Plans, National Army.
 "We understand the magnitude of our task, the responsibility weighing upon us, the difficulties that must be vanquished. We shall ask the Polish nation to help us in our efforts and assist us in our labor. The formation of a national army under its own colors

These forthcoming issues of *Britannia* and the woman's organ, were seized and the latter against a flat occupied by Miss Annie Kenney and Miss Grace Roe. The latter is Mrs. Pankhurst's private secretary. All private papers and correspondence in the flat were ransacked. "The only reason I can assign for the raid," said Mrs. Pankhurst, "is the criticism which the periodical *Britannia* has recently aimed at the government, and particularly against that section of the government which favors a compromise peace." **ba**

tion will be made up. The cars run-up each night to the field dressing stations, close behind the first line trenches, and there collect the harvest of wounded made during the day. These men are then transported back to the base hospitals, and from there carried to the hospital trains to be sent into the interior of France.

Twelve names are already on the list of those who have signed up, seven from the I. N. G., who have served on the Mexican border, and one is the name of a young man well known in Chicago society.

Pair of Pheasants Cost Chauncey McCormick \$50

A pair of English pheasants' donated by P. J. Sexton brought \$50 at auction last night at the Allied bazaar. Chauncey McCormick was the purchaser. Tonight the dozen eggs, donated by Eugene Smith of Aurora, which were the prize at the stockyards poultry show,

will be put on the block.

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SMUTS TO JOIN WAR MEETING

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The war office makes the following announcement: "The Imperial government has acceded to the South African government's request that Lieut. Gen. Jan C. Smuts, commander of the British expedition against German East Africa, represent South Africa at the coming Imperial war conference in London, instead of Gen. Louis Botha, the South African premier, whose presence is urgently required at the coming session of the South African parliament."



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REACHING G. O. P. CAPES ANEW AS PERKINS BALKS

Reunion with Moose, He
Says, and Declines Bid to
"Harmony Dinner."

New York, Jan. 15.—George W. Perkins, chairman of the national Progressive party, issued a statement here today in which he declared that "the national committee of the Progressive party, which was organized at the executive committee of the Republican national committee over the protest of Chairman Wilcox and other members of the committee had failed to break the breach between the Republican and Progressive parties."

Decline Wilcox Invitation.
Mr. Perkins and several other Progressive leaders failed to attend a dinner given tonight by Chairman Wilcox of the Republican national committee. His statement said in part:

"At 7 o'clock tonight we withdrew our acceptance of Mr. Wilcox's dinner from the Republican executive and campaign committee."
"We did this because of the several reasons taken into account by the executive committee over the protest of Chairman Wilcox and other members of the committee."

"It is too late this evening to cover the matter properly in a statement. We will do this tomorrow."

"Briefly the action of the executive committee was a deliberate and willful rejection upon Chairman Wilcox and an affront to every Progressive voter in the country."

Dual Control of Party?
The action today of John T. Adams of Iowa to be vice chairman of the Republican national committee was reported tonight to have been in opposition to the wishes of Chairman Wilcox and a story for the so-called "old guard" in the party.

Persons who claimed to be in close touch with the situation asserted that it might create a dual control of party management, with Mr. Wilcox in charge of the party and Mr. Adams in charge of the executive committee at an early date.

Attempt at Reunion.
After the day the executive committee had adopted a resolution naming Adams as vice chairman, present as members of a committee "to consider a question of recognition looking to the cooperation of all elements that are opposed to the Democratic party."

The committee consists of Chairman Wilcox, Charles E. Warren of Michigan, John T. Adams of Iowa, Fred W. Eastbrook of New Hampshire, Alvah H. Martin of Virginia, A. T. Hert of Kentucky, Herbert Parsons of New York, James A. Hemenway of Indiana, and R. B. Howell of Nebraska.

A meeting of the committee selected today will be held tomorrow. Chairman Wilcox said, and it will report back to the executive committee at an early date.

COMPERS URGES
A LABOR PRESS

New York, Jan. 15.—The advisability of organizing a group of newspapers which would be under the control of the country's labor interests, and which would reflect labor's attitude, was discussed here today by about 125 delegates representing fifty organizations in Connecticut, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and New York. The meeting was the first convention of the labor publicity organization.

Samuel Compers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in an address favored the project.

He pointed out numerous instances of what he declared was either unjust, intentional or willful misrepresentation of labor in the daily press.

Woman Dies from Fall.
Mrs. Bridget Kennedy, 68 years old, of 6309 South Pacific street, died at her home yesterday of injuries suffered Jan. 3 when she fell sixteen feet from a window.

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sprains, lumbago, backache, sprains,
and rheumatism.

INEFFICIENCY.
Jan. 15.—(Editor of The Tribune.)—The letter of "Mail"
attention to "crippled"
reminded me of an ex-
perience of mine. About six
months in Chicago, I mailed
communication to a party.
It was posted Thursday
very long place Saturday
is enough to make a
Chicago lady told me
long for a letter to be
mailed in Chicago as it
comes from a relative in
Chicago to her. I am not
Chicago postal service is
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Two Newspaper Workers Who
Reveal Marriage Concealed
for Two Months.



Mrs. Charles B. Cory, Jr.
LEWIS SMITH PHOTO

NEWSPAPER persons are popularly supposed to be regular Sherlocks and Hawkahaws when it comes to prying out secrets from other people, especially with regard to heart affairs.

But it remained for one little romance right in the midst of the craft to "get by" every news sleuth in town for two months.

The affair in point concerns Charles B. Cory Jr., a newspaper reporter, and Miss Edna Thomas Nowak, an artist and writer of special articles for various Chicago dailies. It was learned yesterday that they managed to keep their marriage a secret "to all but the folks at home" since Nov. 24.

Mrs. Cory formerly lived in Cedar Rapids, Ia., where her mother resides. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Cory, the former curator of the Field museum. He is a graduate of the University of Chicago and of University High school.

When the above words Judge Barrett yesterday disposed of the case of J. Maurice Pettit, who killed his girl bride in their home, 830 Barry avenue, by slaying her throat with a razor and later attempted suicide by jumping from a train while being brought to Chicago from Detroit.

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PLAN EARLY VOTE FOR CONVENTION ON CONSTITUTION

Republicans in Senate Expect
to Test Proposition Some
Day Next Week.

BY E. O. PHILLIPS.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—The constitutional convention resolution will be introduced tomorrow in the senate and will be voted on some day next week. A poll indicates that the required two-thirds vote will be registered for the resolution.

This was announced by Senator Edward C. Curtis of Kankakee, who will offer the resolution, as he did the one defeated by the house two years ago. The decision to get an early start came after a conference of the Republican senators on the committee on committees and after consultation with Gov. Lowden.

Plan to Get Early Start.
"It is the prevailing opinion that the senate should not delay getting to a vote on this proposal," Senator Curtis said. "It is evident that the three big issues before the present legislature are the constitutional convention, the governor's consolidation plan, and the private banks bill. The disposition in the senate is favorable to quick action on all three."

The Curtis resolution will go to the committee on constitutional amendment, and its immediate return is expected. The fate of the resolution in the house is dependent on the committee to be named by Speaker Shanahan, Thursday. Fear is expressed by some friends of the plan that the activities of the woman suffrage leaders for the convention, may militate against its success, particularly among those representatives who are against suffrage. In some quarters organized opposition of the wet interests is predicted.

Committee List Out Tonight.
The senate committee list will be ready tomorrow night and will be submitted to a Republican caucus then. When that is done Gov. Lowden proposes to begin active operations with his consolidation measure.

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Senate Committee Bars
Pay Raise for U. S. Clerks

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.
Met at noon.
Resumed debate on water power leasing bill.
Recessed at 5:15 p. m. to noon Tuesday.

HOUSE.
Met at noon.
Considered bills requiring unanimous consent.

T. W. Rucker of Athens, Ga., was sworn in to succeed the late S. J. Tribble.

Adopted resolutions from rules committee broadening its authority in the leak investigation.

Passed Rayburn bill to give Interstate commerce commission exclusive jurisdiction over regulation of railway securities.

Passed bill to establish a national military park at Guilford, N. C. Adjourned at 8:20 p. m. to 11 a. m. Tuesday.

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JAIL YAWNS FOR STREETER, BUT JUDGE RELENTS

"Cap" George Wellington Streeter escaped a night in the county jail by a narrow margin yesterday when he was haled into court for failure to take down a windmill in "Streeterville" land owned by Mrs. Kathleen M. H. Basly.

Yesterday was the last day of grace accorded Streeter in which to remove the windmill, erected as an experiment some years ago. Judge Foell in the Superior court ruled it violated a court injunction.

A squad of deputy sheriffs went to "Streeterville," expecting a warm reception, but the "captain" made no resistance.

"It ain't doin' nobody no harm," Streeter said, "and I won't take the d— thing down. I told 'em I wouldn't. It's my land, and nobody's goin' to take it from me."

Judge Foell had ordered Streeter committed to the county jail. Attorney Edward B. Caron went before the court, and Judge Foell ruled that judgment should be suspended until today at 10 o'clock.

Negroes to Discuss Morals.
The Detroit African Methodist Episcopal church, Thirtieth and Dearborn streets, will hold a meeting today under the auspices of the Douglas Neighborhood association. The object is to afford opportunity for Negro citizens to go on record in the matter of the moral tone in the so-called "Black belt."

Blames Fanatic for Outrage.
That a religious fanatic placed the bomb in the doorway of the St. Louis Roman Catholic church, 11709 South State street, early Sunday morning is the theory of Lieut. Matthew Homer of the Kensington police station, who is working on the case. The bomb shattered windows of houses in the vicinity and injured six persons.

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MORE CLUBS TO BE FORMED FOR LONESOME ONES

Harry A. Lipsey, chairman of the committee on social centers of the board of education, will speak tonight at the meeting of the Chicago Social-club, formerly the Lonesome club, in the Francis I. room of the Congress hotel. Mr. Lipsey has suggested that community lonesome clubs be organized, and that they hold their meetings in the school buildings in which social centers are conducted. He will outline his ideas on the subject at this meeting.

The club has expanded, with the object of bringing together all the lonesome people of Chicago, and Mrs. Elizabeth Guion Dornier has been appointed corresponding secretary and chaperon with offices in the Fine Arts building.

In addition to the talk by Mr. Lipsey, there will be a program commemorating the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns.

There will be readings by Mrs. Jean Bennett MacNair, dancing by Mildred Coughlin, and a musical program by John Bethune, Mrs. Margaret Daniels, and Miss Dorothy Cass.

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COSTELLO TELLS "BIG 3" GRAFT TO GRAND JURY

"Boss" of Syndicate Follows
Lieut. White and Confesses
Operations of Ring.

"Tom" Costello, alleged head of the so-called "Big Three" vice syndicate, waived immunity from prosecution yesterday and made a complete confession before the grand jury. In this he followed the example of Lieut. Augustus Martin White.

The grand jury, being a special session of the October panel, began its inquiry into the police bribery and extortion charges at 2 o'clock. State's Attorney Hoyne took personal charge of the investigation. He was aided by Assistant State's Attorneys Sullivan, Baker, Duval and Buehler. Mr. Duval is the indictment expert of the state's attorney's staff.

Mr. Hoyne opened the inquiry by making a short statement of the charges alleged against the dozen or more police officials and supposed vice overlords against whom he has now accusations. He said he would not offer all the evidence in this case, but would give the grand jury sufficient upon which to bring indictments. The remainder will be offered in open court.

Holds Session at Night.
Early in the evening Mr. Hoyne told reporters that two big news events would be announced before morning. He said the grand jury would remain in session far into the night. This was confirmed when the members of the jury called a halt at 2:50 o'clock and after a recess of an hour returned to their chamber and renewed the questioning of witnesses.

The first of the witnesses to be received by Rollin D. Silva, foreman of the jury, was Lieut. White, formerly commander of the Lake street police section. It was White who was arrested in the "real estate" office of Costello when Costello, "Mike de Pile" (Stiller), and William A. ("Billy") Skidmore were caught in the state attorney's net. It was there the alleged division of graft tribute presumably took place.

White Before Jurymen.
Lieut. White entered the grand jury room and with him went the famous "green book" which contains lists of disreputable places to be raided, to be protected, and to be made the subjects of vice tributes. Lieut. White explained the entries in the little volume. It is said, and told the jurors in detail how collections were made and how notorious places were kept free of police interference.

He explained how members of the "Big Three" met in the "real estate" office of Costello and received contributions from the deputy collectors of the various red light precincts and also how the division of the spoils was made. It was believed White was taken from the room by a rear exit and by means of a private elevator, for he did not again appear in the front corridor. Later in the afternoon Costello was brought through the corridor.

Costello Waives Immunity.
Mr. Hoyne announced that Costello, the "boss" of the ring, had signed a waiver of all claims for immunity and had decided to take his chances of imprisonment or other punishment to be decided upon later by Mr. Hoyne. Costello was closely guarded, not for fear of his escape, but to prevent outside contact from talking with him. As the door closed on him the detectives guarding the entrance to the grand jury room drew a long breath and said:
"It's all off now."

Has Plenty of Evidence.
Mr. Hoyne said he would be able to offer plenty of evidence and was even so certain of convictions that he had

UNDER HOYNE FIRE So-Called "Mayor of South Chicago" Accused After Tapped Phone Wire Coup.



Albert Mohr

declined to enter into "bargains" with numerous persons who had tried to negotiate with him to the end of gaining immunity.

"A number of policemen and others have approached me with the offer of striking a bargain," he said. "but I am not looking for bargains. I have plenty of documentary evidence, too. A number of checks have come into my hands that will be difficult to explain away."

One of these was said to be a check for \$1,000 declared to have been drawn to pay for the restoration of the license of the Penna cafe, owned by Theodore Levine. Levine was brought to the state's attorney's office last Saturday and later released on bonds. Mr. Hoyne said that this check was only a part of the evidence he possesses to offer in showing the bribery rampant in the restoration of saloon licenses.

"I know that a number of well known citizens have signed their names to petitions for the restoration of licenses," said Mr. Hoyne, "but I do not attach any significance to them. It is probable that many honest citizens were fooled by the state of affairs."

Thomas Newbold a Witness.
Thomas Newbold was taken into the grand jury room around 4 o'clock, but Mr. Hoyne did not make a statement of what Newbold would offer. Also there were a dozen or so persons well known in the west side police district. It was not known whether they came in response to subpoenas or were on hand to "make bargains."

Mr. Hoyne said it would take several weeks to wind up the investigation into the vice cases and therefore the grand jurors would be compelled to listen to testimony for seven or eight hours every day.

"There is work enough for two grand juries," he said. "But we are going to send in the evidence as rapidly as we can and start the prosecutions at once. The moral effect of this investigation is not going to be lost by delay in prosecution."

The grand jury adjourned last night to reconvene at its own call. There will be no session today.

Thon Asks Co-operation in Preventing Blindness

Cooperation by the women of Chicago with the state board of health in preventing blindness at birth was urged yesterday by State Representative William G. Thon in speaking before the Fifteenth Ward Women's Civic League.

Mr. Thon is the author of the "prevention of blindness" act passed by the Forty-ninth legislature. The law requires physicians to drop a weak solution of uric acid of silver in the eyes of a new born babe.

HOYNE TRAPS GRAND JURYMAN AT TELEPHONE

J. F. Browne Accused of Talk
ing with A. Mohr, Condemn-
man for Hoyne.

(Continued from first page.)

conversation and brought the grand jurors to startled attention.

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THAT MOHR SAYS

Mr. Mohr was reached at night by telephone at his home, and the following conversation between him and a reporter for the Tribune ensued:

Q. Mr. Mohr, did you talk with George Brown over the telephone tonight?

A. No.

Q. Do you know him?

A. I've seen him once or twice, but I'm not personally acquainted with him.

Q. How do you know him when you see him?

DENIAL BY JUROR BROWN

Mr. Brown, the accused grand juror, said he didn't care to discuss the matter of Hoyne's charges.

"There isn't anything very much to be said," he said, to a reporter for the Tribune.

Did Mr. Hoyne make his charges in the grand jury room?

"There's nothing in that," said Mr. Hoyne. "You didn't telephone to any one?"

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Mr. Mohr, the state's attorney has made a statement in which he charges Mr. Brown with having revealed grand jury secrets to you over the telephone at your home this evening. What have you to say to that statement?

"I don't know," said Mr. Mohr. "I don't know what I've told you."

100 MEN SEEKING MISSING FLYERS

Calver, Cal., Jan. 15.—More than 100 men were seeking missing flyers and desert of Lower California today for the lost army aviators. A cold base has been established at Black Butte.

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CONFERS WITH HOYNE AND DEPUTY

Plans Ordered to Not
State's Attorney Wh
Crimes Occur.

The rush and bustle of the city in the office of Chief of Police E. J. Connelley found an opportunity for the state's attorney to confer with the chief of police and his deputy.

The state's attorney, who is in the city on a special mission, is expected to remain here for some time.

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CONFERS HOYNE DEPUTIES

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Mayor Thompson and his first deputy, Chief Schuetzler, found an opportunity to push their program of cooperation with the state's attorney's office today when they conferred with the prosecutor. He was with First Deputy Westbrook and Deputy Funkhouser together, reviewing the harmony between the city and the department.

They got things in shape gradually, and before long we'll have the whole city in the hands of the state's attorney.

Mayor Thompson said that he was not going to discuss the progress of the case with the press. He was asked whether he had considered stopping the music privileges of cafes and restaurants that violated the law.

He refused to say whether he would carry with him to a conference with the mayor today recommendations for revocations based on violations of the police women found on Sunday.

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HEROINE
Telephone Girl Saves Lives at
Kingland, N. J. Munition
Plant Fire.

Photo Underwood & Underwood
Jessie McNamara

Task. McNamara, telephone switchboard girl at the big munition plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company, on the Jersey meadows, near Kingland, telephoned:

"Fire in shed 20; sure to reach shell cars on side track. Don't wait a second! Get all men out!"

They got out—not a life was lost.

know that in most of those cases it was difficult for anybody but an investigator to get the evidence?

"If I find conclusive proof that some one has been negligent he will be punished promptly, but I don't intend to crucify anybody for something he couldn't prevent."

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OPPOSE BRITISH FLEET OWNER ON U. S. SHIP BOARD

New Yorkers Point Out McAdoo
Owns Stock in J. A. Donald's
Steamship Company.

BY MARK WATSON.

New York, Jan. 15.—(Special.)—The appointment by President Wilson of John A. Donald, whose entire fleet of ships flies the British flag, as member of the United States shipping board, which is charged with the development of a merchant marine to compete with British and other foreign ships, has roused vigorous opposition in New York.

Donald, a native of Scotland, was appointed several weeks ago, but his appointment is not yet confirmed by the senate. Those who oppose him declare he not only started his fleet under the British flag, despite his long residence in the United States, but kept it under that flag even when at the beginning of the war the United States opened its registry to every one and an enormous tonnage which previously had flown a foreign flag elected to obey the American laws.

Seaman's Act One Bar. One of the American laws is the seaman's act, which provides better living conditions than are generally provided, insists on protection of crew and passengers, and establishes qualifications of service which necessitate employing high class seafaring men rather than Chinese coolies and lascars.

Objection to this act would necessitate a material change in the handling of the Donald Steamship company's fleet, which

is operated on an "economical" a scale as is possible.

Up to the present no one has ever found out who suggested Donald's name to President Wilson. Today, however, Capt. Arthur McGray, secretary of the Neptune association, which is made up of licensed masters and mates of ocean and coastwise steamers, declared Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo might know something about it. Capt. McGray has written a letter to a number of senators quoting a former official of the Donald company as authority for the charge that McAdoo is a stockholder in the Donald Steamship company to the extent of \$10,000.

Gives Men Big Power. The CHICAGO TRIBUNE, in opposition to the bill which created the shipping board, based its objections in part on the fact that an appropriation of \$400,000 was placed, almost without restriction, in the hands of five men, who thus would be able to distinguish, intentionally or otherwise, between personal and political friends and foes.

Mr. Donald was interviewed late today on some of the specific charges mentioned by the opponents of his confirmation.

"Is it your intention to transfer your ships to American registry?" he was asked.

"The British government," he responded, "does not allow its ships to enter foreign registry and has not for a year and a half."

"But there were many opportunities before that British order was issued," he was reminded. "It was in August, 1914, that the United States opened its registry to you and others."

"Well," said Mr. Donald, "I disapproved that with the senate committee and I consider it a part of private business."

"Even when you may be a public official?"

"It is private business," repeated Mr. Donald.

"And here is some more business which may be private—how much stock does Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo hold in your company?"

"I will not discuss that," said Donald, and ended the interview.

Druggist Fined \$25. E. F. Leichner, a druggist at 2100 Addison street, was fined \$25 and costs by Judge Kearns yesterday on a charge of selling liquor without a license.

WOMEN OF VICE FLEE LIDDED CITY, CHIEF DECLARES

Schuetzler Says Suppression
of the Red Light District
Will Continue.

BY AUDRIE ALSAUGH CHASE.

"Well, to tell you the truth, I don't know very much about the problem of prostitution," humbled Chief of Police Schuetzler, settling his big person back in his big official chair.

"I never liked the idea of having to hurt these poor unfortunate women, as I might have to in my capacity as policeman, and I just haven't had to have anything to do with them since I was a sergeant, over thirty years ago."

"I've been busy with other forms of police work, and whatever men and women who have given years to the study of the social evil suggest I'm ready to follow up if the laws are changed, but for myself, now, I'm here to enforce the law, and the law says prostitution must be eradicated. That being the law, these isn't any use in my expressing any opinion about segregation. It's not to be considered because the law says 'eradication.'"

The "Refined" Variety. The chief shifted about in his chair a bit, to answer the next question.

"No, I don't think nonsegregation is a serious menace to the residence districts, for this reason: An educated prostitute, from a good family may be there are such, you know—can live in a neighborhood and get away with it. But women who have been in houses of ill fame aren't careful, and they get drunk and carry on, and the

neighbors soon protest about that, and they're put out. The refined one isn't conspicuous, and she gets along pretty well, but she isn't very numerous."

Besides women who have been in houses don't stay long in a town where districts are cleaned out. They want to go back to what they are used to, so instead of setting up flats through the town, they are more apt to go to other towns, where there is a place for them.

"They are tired of being pestered by the police and are glad to get away. When I was in New Orleans three years ago I saw several women who had come from the Chicago levee, and was told of a number of others. It is the same way in Indianapolis, and other towns. A lot of women have left town. We haven't a third, no, not a quarter, of those now who used to be here."

Some Marry, He Hears. "They go to other cities, and some of them get tired of the life and find another way. A lot of them, even, marry. I don't know that, myself, but people like Jane Addams have told me. Street walkers? Why, we haven't many here. Yes, the morals court has helped, I think."

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KILLS SELF OVER LOVE HE NEVER COULD RETURN

And So the Girl—a Nun—
Wears Mourning for Her
Young Russian Officer.

BY DR. EUGENE HURD.
AT THE RUSSIAN FRONT, Dec. 28.
It is not often that I write of the sad
things of war. Today I have been to a
funeral—the burial of a young officer,
the youngest son of a well known no-
bleman.

In 1914 at the outbreak of the war
Leonie was 17 years of age. He was
a diplomatic student in one of the
larger universities. His only brother,
who was four years older, was a young
officer in one of the crack regiments.
When Leonie saw his brother start off
for the front he burned with the desire
that fills the hearts of all young men
when their country is at war.

Runs Away; Joins Army.
He made up his mind to fight for his
country. That evening at home he dis-
cussed his intention with his mother
and father. Both were firm against it,
telling him they had given their only
son proudly to fight for their coun-
try, but they insisted on keeping one
son. A few days later Leonie ran
away and became a volunteer soldier.

For two months father and mother did
not hear from him. Then he came home
wounded. He had been decorated for
bravery in action. Another family coun-
cil was held and he was told if he still
persisted in taking an active part in the
war they wished him to become an of-
ficer. So for six months he attended an
officers' school and received his com-
mission as a second lieutenant.

When he arrived at the front it did
not take him long to win the good favor
of all of his division. Last fall in
the retreat our division was ordered
to hold the banks of a certain river at all
costs, for three days. Leonie was
among the wounded. For weeks he lay
in a field hospital.

He Meets a Sister.
In the field hospitals there are sepa-
rate tents for the officers. Among the
sisters there was one who was very
faithful in her work. She was always
within call and was untiring in her at-
tention to Leonie.

The day before he was discharged
from the hospital he sent a friend to the
nearest city and purchased a fine rug,
which he presented to the sister as he
was about to leave to rejoin his reg-
iment. She accepted the present with
many thanks and asked him to come
into the dining room, which was empty
at that hour, and join her in a glass
of tea and a few last words of parting.
He gladly went with her.

As they sat drinking their tea the sis-
ter suddenly began to show signs of dis-
tress and pain. Leonie asked her if she
was ill. She answered that she had
taken poison and was going to die.

Tells Him She Loves Him.
She had learned to love him, she said.
But he was only 15 years of age and
she was past 30. She knew he did not
care for her and that his parents would
never give their consent if he did. So,
having made up her mind she could not
live without him, she had taken this oc-
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Leonie rushed out and called one of
the hospital physicians, who attempted
to administer an antidote. The sister
refused to take it, crying hysterically,
meaning that she was dying for her
love of Leonie. The doctor called Leonie
out of the room and asked him what
had caused the trouble. He told the
doctor in a few words all the above.

The doctor told him to go back and
promise her that he would marry her if
she would only take the medicine.

Sister's Life Saved.
So the promise was made and the
sister's life was saved. Leonie re-
turned to his regiment. Two months
later he received a letter from the sister
reminding him of his promise. He went
to see her and explained he had given
his word to save her life. She told him
he must either keep his word or she
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behind by the etiquette of the army to
compel him to keep his promise or sur-
render his commission as an officer.

Leonie got a leave of absence and went
home. The sister followed him. He left
for the front before his leave expired.
She followed on the next train. A few
days later there was a dance at the
staff of the division. One of the guests
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DON'T LET WIFE DIE OF LOCKJAW

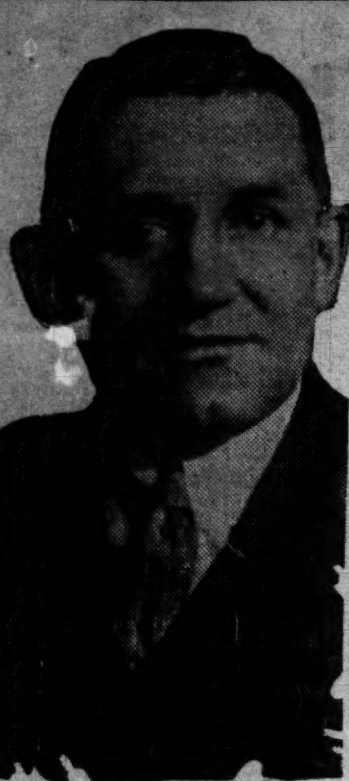
Warn her against cutting corns
because they can be
lifted out.

Women wear high heels which buckle
up their toes and they suffer terribly
from corns. Women then proceed to
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THIS MAN SMITH FEARS GUNMEN? EATS 'EM ALIVE



CHARLES SMITH.

"Sunny" Dunne of the stock yard
gang has served time for killing
Thomas Enright, also of the gang, has
a killer's reputation. Both were in the
fry that saw Joseph Hogarty shot to
death in the Burnham Inn a few weeks
ago. But yesterday Detective Charles
Smith of Burnham, single handed, laid
Dunne cold with a flat blow, fought
eight of Dunne's gunmen companions to
a standstill, and put four of them, in-
cluding Dunne and Enright, in jail. He
says as soon as he is feeling a little
better he is going back and get the rest.

"Dunne's hand went for his pocket,"
said Smith, "and I took a close bead on
him and let go. I don't see how I came
to miss him. I intended to kill him, for
he was in the mood to kill me."

"When I missed I just hauled off with
a real old time 'haymaker' and let him
have my flat right on the jaw. He went
down like a log of kindling."

"Then I got my back against the
wall and the trouble started. I put my
revolver on Enright, but I couldn't keep
fighting that way, so I just handcuffed
him to Dunne."

"There was no chance of Enright
getting away without taking Dunne
with him, because Dunne didn't come to
for half an hour. Then I went after
the others. Four of them ran, and I
caught two."

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REVENUE DRAFT NOW AGREED ON BY DEMOCRATS

Three New Tax Divisions May
Be Added to Meet Threat-
ened Deficit.

BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—[Special.]
—For once the president, the secretary
of the treasury, and the ways and means
committee of the house find themselves
in perfect accord. This is in regard to
the manner in which the revenue bill
for this year shall be written. This was
the statement today of Chairman
Claude Kitchin of the committee follow-
ing an extended interview with Sec-
retary McAdoo on the question of revenue
to be obtained to meet the threatened
deficit in the treasury.

"I cannot say at this time what taxes
will be levied," Chairman Kitchin con-
tinued, "but it is safe to state that no
commodity tax will be levied."

Commodity Tax Not Expected.
This is generally taken to mean that
the revenue bill for this year will contain
at least one and possibly all of the fol-
lowing taxes:

An excess profits tax, to be levied on
the basis of 5 per cent of all profits in
excess of 8 per cent.

An increased income tax, starting at 3
per cent, and a reduction in the exemp-
tion limit by \$1,000.

An increased inheritance tax, starting
at 1 1/2 per cent on estates of \$50,000 and
over instead of 1 per cent as at present.
Since these are practically all of the
taxes not involving commodities that
have been discussed by the committee,
it is certain that one or all will be levied.

A meeting of the Democratic members
of the committee will be held tomorrow
to ratify the agreement reached between
Secretary McAdoo and Chairman
Kitchin, and a subcommittee will be ap-
pointed to write the revenue bill.

Plan \$400,000,000 Bonds.
The bill probably will be introduced
the last of this week or next week and
will contain in addition to the revenue
items provision for various bond issues
to total nearly 400,000,000. These bonds
will take care of the expense of the Mex-
ican expedition, the Alaskan railroad,
the Danish West Indies payment, the
\$50,000,000 needed for the shipping bill,
and the \$20,000,000 for the nitrate plant.
Provision for the government powder
plant also may be made.

Standing in columned
majesty, the Beauregard
home is typical of old
New Orleans days. Its
slender Ionic pillars recall
the halcyon times of the
'fifties, when Louisiana
ball-rooms were thronged
with glittering toilettes
from the ateliers of great
modistes. One can
almost picture the courtly
master, as he returned
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POLL CONGRESS ON VOTE ISSUE

How Midwest Representa-
tives View Campaign on
Southern Power.

FEW REFUSE TO AID.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—[Special.]
—For the information of the citizens of
the middle western states THE TRIBUNE
presents herewith the attitude of their
senators and representatives in congress
on the proposal to give northern voters
as much voice as southern voters in the
conduct of the government.

To each of these senators and repre-
sentatives THE TRIBUNE addressed a let-
ter asking him if he will insist upon leg-
islation to effect this reform or if he
believes that southern voters should con-
tinue to exercise several times as much
influence in the government as northern
voters.

What Letter Showed.
Each letter set forth the greater rep-
resentation in congress and the electoral
college possessed by the voters in south-
ern states that have disfranchised a
large proportion of their citizens in de-
fiance of the fourteenth amendment of
the constitution.

Also each letter showed graphically
how the south, dominating congress, has
contrived to impose taxes bearing more
heavily upon the north than the south
while carrying out tremendous pork
barrel raids on the national treasury.

In the middle western states there are
fourteen senators and 107 representa-
tives. Seven senators all Republicans,
replied that they would work for the re-
form and seven—three Republicans and
four Democrats—did not answer. Twen-
ty-two representatives—nineteen Rep-
ublicans and three Democrats—re-
sponded in favor of the reform, three
Democrats refused aid, one Republican
and three Democrats were noncommittal,
and seventy-eight representatives—
forty-eight Republicans, twenty-nine
Democrats and one independent—did not
answer.

Lineup on Question.
The lineup on the question follows:

ILLINOIS.
Yes—Senator Sherman, Representative Chil-
perfield, Madden, McKenna, McKinley, Den-
ton, Palmer, King, Republicans; Representa-
tive Stone, Democrat.

No—Representatives W. E. Williams and
Buchanan, Democrats.

Noncommittal—Representative Sabath, Dem-
ocrat.

Not replying—Representatives Mann, W. W.
Wilson, Britton, Fox, Copley, Sterling, Can-

Noncommittal—Representative Oz, Dem-
ocrat.

Not replying—Representative Moore, Re-
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Morrison, Cline, Barnhart, Democrats.

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Not replying—Representatives Kennedy,
Hull, Street, Hangan, Ramseyer, Dowell,
Wood, Republicans; and Steele, Democrat.

Yes—Senator Harding, Representative
Nichols, Republicans; Representative
Cresser, Democrat.

No—Representative Gordon, Democrat.

Not replying—Representatives Longworth,
Russell, Matthews, Kearns, Fess, Swisher,
B. H. Williams, Mooney, McCulloch, Cooper,
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ACT GIVEN WIDE SCOPE BY SUPREME COURT

To Cover Private Escapes as Well as Commercialized Vice.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The federal act which gave wide scope to the transportation of women for immoral purposes, including private escapes as well as commercialized vice, was today given wide scope by the supreme court.

The act, which was passed in 1910, provided that any woman who was transported for immoral purposes, including private escapes as well as commercialized vice, was to be considered a prostitute and was to be punished accordingly. The act also provided that any woman who was transported for immoral purposes, including private escapes as well as commercialized vice, was to be considered a prostitute and was to be punished accordingly.

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Thomas H. Cranston.
Born Feb. 10, 1847. Died Jan. 14, 1917.



Thomas H. Cranston, for many years prominent in the hardware business of Chicago, will be buried tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel, 164 North Michigan avenue, with interment at Rosehill. Mr. Cranston was born in London, Canada, and came to Chicago in his early twenties. In 1883 he established the T. H. Cranston company, dealers in hardware specialties, which he continued until his death Sunday afternoon at his home, 5009 Sheridan road. Mr. Cranston was one of the oldest members of the Hamilton club and a founder of the Hardware club of Chicago. He is survived by a widow, a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude E. Shields of Chicago, two brothers, John Cranston of Uly, Mich., and Robert Cranston of Lucknow, Canada, and a sister, Mrs. Thomas Miller of London.

THAW'S AID SENT BACK TO N. Y.

Court Passes on the Brower Case—Would-Be Suicide Has Many Lawyers.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 15.—Judge J. M. Patterson in Common Pleas court today decided that Oliver A. Brower, charged with conspiracy to kidnap Frederick Gump Jr. of Kansas City, who accused Harry K. Thaw of beating him, was to be returned to New York. Brower was taken to that city tonight.

Judge Patterson preface his ruling with the comment that "the Thaw case had left a trail of shame and that Philadelphia wanted little of it."

Witness Against Thaw? Mr. Scott asserted that the charges against Brower would fall in New York and said the real motive in extraditing him was to hold him as a witness against Thaw. He explained that it was for this reason that he altered his intention of permitting the unaccounted return to New York of Brower. Scott is also counsel for Thaw.

Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City, former chairman of the federal commission on industrial relations, and counsel for Gump, was present at the hearing. He said he knew of no contemplated action by the Gump family to sue Thaw for a quarter of a million dollars after the disposal of the present charges, as has been reported.

Mother and Harry Thaw. Thaw's mother, who is staying at the hospital where he is recovering from an attempt at suicide, was at her son's bedside for nearly four hours today comforting and consoling him.

Children Admitted to Hospital After Delay

Three children of Fred Frohe of 2132 West Erie street, who are suffering from scarlet fever and chicken pox, were taken to the county hospital yesterday.

The case was called to the attention of Health Commissioner John Dill Robertson on Sunday, when efforts to get the children into the county hospital and the contagious disease hospital failed.

"The delay was caused by the fact that the children were suffering from coxsack infections," Dr. Robertson said yesterday. "It is difficult to find room in hospitals for 'combination' cases, as they must be isolated."

CONFEREES FIND U. S. AND MEXICO UNABLE TO AGREE

Americans to Ask Army Be Recalled and Envoy Sent—Mexicans Satisfied.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Mexican-American joint commission, which failed to effect an adjustment of the question at issue between Mexico and the United States, after a series of conferences that began four months ago, was formally dissolved late today.

Secretary of Interior Lane and the other members of the American commission, Dr. J. H. Mott and Judge George Gray, told the Mexicans they had recommended to President Wilson the dispatch to Mexico of Ambassador Fletcher and the withdrawal of the American troops from Chihuahua.

Mexicans See Objects Attained. Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican commission, and Ignacio Benillas and Alberto J. Pani, the other members, said they expected to leave within a week or ten days for Mexico. Notwithstanding the dissolution of the commission, they expressed themselves as pleased with the result, pointing out that with the withdrawal of the American troops the main object of Carranza in sending them here would be accomplished.

The last session of the joint commission continued throughout the latter half of the day. The American commissioners explained to the Mexican representatives that they regarded further discussion of international questions impracticable. Twice Gen. Carranza had refused to ratify the protocol signed at Atlantic City, N. J., in which conditions for the withdrawal of the troops had been made, and that refusal the Americans construed as indicative of what might be expected if the conferences were continued.

Leaves Wilson Free to Act. It was pointed out to the Mexicans that the maintenance of an ambassador in Mexico would remove cause for the existence of a commission, since all international questions pending or any that might arise might then be handled through diplomatic channels.

No direct reference was made in the final session to what the attitude of the United States would be in the event the American troops were withdrawn and new raids across the border by Mexicans were made, but neither was there any modification made in the warning of Secretary Lane that accompanied the protocol to Mexico, that this government reserved the right to unlimited and unrestricted pursuit of bandits.

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DISCARD REPORT; SHOOP NETTLED

Trustees Ignore His School Survey, but Recommend Similar Work.

HE MAKES A PROTEST.

The survey report of Supt. John D. Shoop, which he recommended a number of changes in the school system, was cast aside yesterday by the survey committee of the board of education. It was learned that the only function of the committee was to determine whether a survey of the system would be advisable, and report to the board.

After a long argument as to what a survey is and what the board meant the committee should do, a recommendation was passed calling for a survey. The recommendation will be presented at the meeting of the board tomorrow. Edward J. Piggett, previously named to head the survey, has obtained the passage of a motion that the present committee consider Mr. Shoop's report, but the members turned their backs on that action and Mr. Piggett reluctantly withdrew the motion.

Shoop Somewhat Angry. Mr. Shoop asked for permission to speak. There were indications of anger in his face and voice. He said that he had spent many hours on his report and that it was made to the committee in good faith. There was a long argument as to whether the report was merely information, or recommendations, or the results of an actual survey. The controversy was finally settled by calling it "these data."

Mr. John MacMahon began the discussion by asking whether the committee was sending persons into the field to acquire information. Joseph A. Holpuch, the chairman, said he knew of no such investigation.

Unrest Among Teachers. "There seems to be an impression among the teachers that such a survey is in progress," said Mrs. MacMahon. "There is great disturbance and unrest and fear on their part that certain questions are being asked. I am not in favor of a survey by outsiders."

Mrs. MacMahon would not go into detail regarding her information. "This report from the superintendent is far from a survey," said Max Loeb, "and no doubt it was far from the superintendent's intention to make a survey."

Another Long Discussion. There was another long discussion that led to nowhere in the meeting of the school management committee. Mrs. Florence Vosbrink, chairman of the committee, has carried on a campaign for nearly two years to get three teachers from clearing positions in the Chicago system. The young women were given positions by the clearing board a few weeks before annexation, but former Supt. Ella Flagg Young refused to admit them into the system until they had spent a year in the normal school.

After Mrs. Young left, Mrs. Vosbrink succeeded in getting them into the system without the normal training. Now she is seeking to have them assigned to positions without passing through the customary period of probation. A subcommittee referred the matter to the superintendent, but the full committee sent it back to the subcommittee.

CORONER HOLDS WIFE WHO SLEW DRUNKEN MATE

Denver, Colo., Jan. 15.—John I. Smith was killed by two shots in the head fired by his wife, Stella Newton Smith, with felonious intent, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury here today. Smith was killed early Saturday morning and Mrs. Smith told the police she killed her husband after he had torn her clothing from her, poured liquor on her body, and threatened to attack her little daughter by a former marriage.

District Attorney W. E. Foley announced charges of first degree murder would be filed against Mrs. Smith, who is being held without bail. Counsel for Mrs. Smith have indicated a plea of self defense will be set up.

Gas Kills Teamster. Thomas Murray, 3801 South Malsted street, was found dead in his bathroom yesterday after neighbors smelled gas.

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! See if tongue is coated, breath hot or stomach sour.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.



Every mother likes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping. When cross, feverish, fretful, or tongue coated, if you give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When the little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Advertisement.

Your Grandfather Had to Live on What His Community Produced

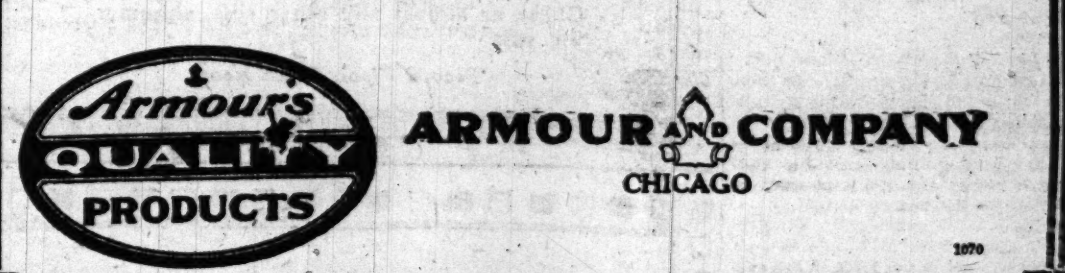
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At the end of four years Ellen, waiting for Harry's annual visit, thought of the great joy that would be hers when she could announce her wedding. In due time Harry arrived, only to tell her of his love for a wealthy girl, pleading as an excuse, that money was absolutely necessary to his profession, asking her to obtain a divorce as quietly as possible, in order not to let the other girl know.

Because she still loved him, Ellen secured the divorce without any publicity. Harry married the rich girl, and in all these years Ellen has never received a word or aid of any kind from Harry.

Few people know of her wasted life, of her devotion to Harry in secret, yet many unkind remarks are made in her hearing, all because she thought best to sacrifice herself for her lover's career. Needless to add, Harry's life has been a stormy one, and certain it is, he is no account in his profession, in which he is but half successful.

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F. M.

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John Barton.....Thomas Meighan
Firebrand.....Albert Hart
Anna.....Ruby Hoffman
Portuguese Doctor.....Wellington Playter

BY MAE TINEE.

CONSIDERING its title and the fact that it depicts pirates, hidden treasure, the bounding Spanish main, beleaguered maiden, and handsome hero, "The Slave Market" is a mild photoplay, indeed. Something whispers that the censors have here and there plucked a vertebra. But the picture is well done and worth seeing. The cast, headed by the beautiful Pauline Frederick, is an excellent one, with the producers catering amiably to our love of the picturesque in pirates.

Ramona, the beautiful daughter of a Spanish nobleman, governor of Port Royal, while attending a convent in Spain, becomes acquainted with John Barton, a soldier of fortune, who, by rescuing and returning to her a pet pigeon, wins her attention and interest. When she boards the Hispania with her father, homeward bound, Barton is also on the ship. He is on his way to discover buried treasure, of which he has been told by an ex-pirate, supposedly stabbed to death by the pirate king, Firebrand, who worked under the theory that dead men tell no tales.

In the dawning of the morning the Hispania is attacked. Ramona is carried ashore by the redoubtable Firebrand, who intends with her to supplant his present favorite, Anna. The latter, needless to say, does not love the unhappy girl.

John Barton, half drowned, wounded, and ill with fever from exposure, finally manages to reach shore after swimming for hours. Ramona discovers him and offers him succor. When the pirate chief, returning from a raid, discovers that a man "on whom she looked with favor" has been there he demands to be told the name of the stranger. To save her life and that of him whom she now loves, Ramona stabs the pirate with his own formidable weapon. She is then taken to be sold in the slave market, but, of course, is rescued by Barton, who, having found the treasure in the meantime, is quite able to outbid the highest bidder.

Thomas Meighan, well known for his work with Lasky, is pleasing as usual. He has a "way with him" besides being exceedingly good to look at. Albert Hart as Firebrand was a swarthy, swaggering, black browed individual whom you will be glad to see cut off from the land of the living as Anna, Ruby Hoffman was convincing. She was as flashy, common and vindictive as the role called for.

"The Slave Market" is a gay deceiver in that it sounds like a "pink permit" while it is in reality a white. (Meaning, the censors say you may take the children if you care to.)

COMMENT

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock a special presentation of "Protect Your Daughters" was given by the National Motion Picture service for the clergy and press of the city.

Ethel Barrymore is to be starred in "Egypt" by Metro. This is a picture of the Edward Sheldon play in which Margaret Anglin appeared.

Miss Mae Murray is now Mrs. J. Jay O'Brien. She declares that matrimony will not in the least interfere with her work.

"Adventures of Buffalo Bill" will be released the latter part of this month by Essanay. In addition to the hero himself, such heroic figures of early days as Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Maj. Gen. Jesse M. Lee, Brig. Gen. Frank D. Baldwin, and Brig. Gen. Marion P. Maus are said to actually take part in the photo drama.

The sponsors for "Patricia," in which Mrs. Vernon Castle starred, gave an informal dinner at the Congress, after which they repaired in a body to the Majestic to see the showing of the first episode.

ASK ME! ASK ME!

B. R.: I do not place people in motion picture companies myself. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall mail you a list of the various companies. If you care to apply in person at any of the studios you might do so. I see no reason why you especially should be barred from becoming a motion picture actor.

LADS: Miss Katherine La Belle is not in pictures at the present time. She is playing in New York in a drama called "The Thirteenth Chair." No trouble at all.

CURIOUS: Am I for suffrage? I'm for whatever you're for—for you, dear lady. So let's all be happy.

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PEOPLE WHO HAVE DONE US
DIRT: Bosses.

GOOMPERS SAYS A. F. L. BACKS PLAYERS' FRAT

Expects Athletes to Get
Place in Union Ranks—
Closeted with Fultz.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The Baseball Players' fraternity has applied to the American Federation of Labor for a charter. The application will be considered at the next meeting of the executive council of the federation on Saturday.

New York, Jan. 15.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and President David L. Fultz of the Baseball Players' fraternity were in conference today relative to the proposed action of the federation members in refusing to sign 1917 baseball contracts until such time as the minor league magnates should grant requests made by the players.

Gompers was located at a local hotel just as he was leaving for Washington. Upon being questioned he admitted that he had been in conference with Fultz several times within the last few weeks and that the latest conversation occurred today. When asked if the federation was a member of the labor front which he replied, "Not yet, but soon I expect."

In Close Touch with Frat.
I have been in close touch with the officers of the Baseball Players' fraternity for some time," he continued, "and while the players' organization is not affiliated with us as yet, I am in full sympathy with their requests and actions and have my moral support. I am deeply interested in the efforts of the ball players, and they will have my support in any action they may see fit to take in order to better their conditions. This is all that I care to say at this time."

President D. B. Johnson of the American league arrived from Chicago late today, being delayed by a heavy snow storm. He said he had come to the city to attend the meeting of the labor front committee and expected to remain for several days.

Strike Would Break Agreement.
"I do not think," he said, "that the players of the major leagues will carry their contention far as to strike, but if they do we will be prepared to meet the emergency and will go right on playing baseball. I think that if the major leagues do strike it will be a violation of the agreement made with the fraternity at Cincinnati several seasons ago, and such action will virtually annul the compact and abrogate the club owners from the terms of that agreement."

A number of players visited David L. Fultz of the fraternity at his office during the day, but were as uncommunicative as the magnates. Fultz said that the players' standpoint and that encouraging reports were coming in from all sections of the country.

The National and American leagues probably will open the baseball season on April 12, although no official announcement was made to that effect. Committees from the two leagues are working on the schedule.

PLAYERS MEET HERE.

It is expected that about twenty ball players, members of the Players' Fraternity, will assemble at the Hotel La Salle tonight to listen to the reading of a letter from their president, David Fultz, and to discuss the probability of strike players.

It is likely that Al Demaree, pitcher of the Phillies, will act as chairman of the meeting, as President Fultz requested him to send out notices to all fraternity members in and near Chicago. Demaree is a warm supporter of the fraternity, but indications are he will lead opposition among some of the other major leaguers.

It is not likely that more than half the expected twenty attendants will be major leaguers. Several minor league players live in Chicago and are expected to stand by Fultz, as the demands of the fraternity concern minor leaguers only.

Wegman Cuts Salaries of Six Cub Players

President Wegman of the Cubs denied yesterday that he was worried over any holdouts on the north side club and declined to say whether any other besides Art Wilson had returned their contracts unsigned. He did state that he had cut the salaries of about six of his players.

It is supposed that the six are Wilson, Archer, Seaton, Zelder, Hendrix, and Lavender. Seaton had a contract calling for \$8,000 a year, the contract expiring last fall. Archer had one for \$7,000. Wilson was paid \$25,000. Zelder's for \$5,000, and both Hendrix and Lavender's for \$6,000. It is supposed Seaton suffered a cut of about \$5,000. Archer about \$5,000, and the others \$2,000 apiece.

Nick Altrock Deserts the Vaudeville Stage

Nick Altrock has abandoned his hope of being a vaudeville star and has gone into business. After being booked solid for a week in Chicago's suburbs, his plans seemed to fall flat.

Race Suicide: Betting on the Races

LIGHT OCCUPATIONS



In the Wake of the News THE BARBER OF SEVILLE.

Riverside, Jan. 15.
Friend Harvey:
Will Harvey I went over to the Auditorium and seen the Barber of Seville and its just like a regular musical comedy only its funny and that because the lines is said in wop and you cant understand them and I thought the fellows that writes the N. Y. music shows would do the same.

The music was wrote by Rossini that hasn't no first name and its O. K. only that he was lazy and wrote notes for

only about 1/2 the words and the rest of the time the piano player strikes a cord and then the singer says maybe 150 words before the piano player strikes another cord and its a kind of a game to see which singer can get in the most words between cords. Jake Rimini won easy and that was O. K. too because he was taking the part of a barber. And another place where Rossini was lazy was sticking in a scene where Miss Gail-Curcio is supposed to be taking a stroll around to save himself the trouble of writing new stuff. Rossini runs in some outside numbers for her to sing namely The Bell Song by Edgar Allan Poe and the Last Rose of summer by Irving Berlin and Home Sweet Home by Carrie Jacobs Bond. And the orchestra plays the music for her to sing. Well Harvey I think that ain't in the score so Miss Curcio had to play her own cords on a piano and had the melodical machines play the stuff down. Well Harvey I think you could of heard her put them songs over and I believe she could of give us I Hear You Calling Me without more than 1/2 the house walking out on her.

Mos' of the regular music in the show is duets and trios and quartets on account of the barbers being the late but I could of showed the singers where they over-looked a whole lot of legitimate wallops, drop minors and etc.

Well Harvey I have been to opera before where the actors was comical but this is the first one I ever seen where they meant to be and got away with it. Mr. Trevian was one of the funniest I ever seen and it seems like a shame to waste him in grand opera. And Jake Rimini and Mr. Armondini was funny too and even Miss Curcio and I would like to see her in the Juggler of Notre Dame because if she can juggle she could sing her up to put on a whole majestic show some, and I would know where to spend 7 afternoons and 7 evenings at small expense.

Each feature of the show is that nobody gets killed. The plot starts out about a count that is stuck on Miss Curcio and he brings a Hawaiian troupe round to entertain her after the cabaret is closed up. After a while in comes the barber with a guitar just like barbers always do along about 4 in the morning. The count hasn't been able to get up rise out of the lady and the barber says he will help him, the barber figuring that by getting in strong with the count he can make 15 cents and maybe a tip by removing a small growth from his upper lip. After that they's a whole lot more plot about crossed letters and disguises and what, that was probably where when it was wrote. Also this show was where Charley Chaplin got his ideas because they's hardly 1 piece of

furniture on the whole stage that don't get spilt at least once at the show and Miss Curcio instead of dying takes the count and I don't know which I'd rather see her do.

Here's some of the funny lines translated in english and you can see where there like regular musical comedy funny lines and how much better off they'd be to leave them in fancy languages!

Do, re, mi, fa, sol, do—what's the confusion here?
For God's sake, be prudent.
Oh, woe, woe, woe! Ye gods, who can fashion her mind!
Good lord!
Great gods!
Oh, the devil!
What a fool am I!

Well Harvey I got to quit now and go to the barber of Seville and maybe he will have a heart and talk wop.

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FIELD OF THIRTY ENTERS RACE FOR SILVER SKATES

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.
Three more entries were received yesterday for the Tribune Silver Skates Derby of two miles, to be held in Humboldt park Jan. 28. This swells the total entries to thirty. Entries close Jan. 25. Harry G. Labriola of the Austin Mercantile, Louis Kahn of the Monarch A. C., and Fred Samlow of the Northwest Skating club are the newcomers.

Art Staff and Roy McWhirter, advance favorites for the Silver Skates, are training every day to reach their best form. Oscar Hanson and Lee Jensen of the Northwest Skating club, considered to be the nearest rivals to Staff and McWhirter, are taking advantage of the ice at Humboldt park. Every night after work they make turns around the lake.

Brown Honorary Referee.
Everett C. Brown, president of the South Shore Country club, former president of the Chicago Athletic association, National and Central A. U., and an international authority on athletics, yesterday accepted an invitation to act as honorary referee. Mr. Brown was instrumental in raising funds for the American Olympic team for the world's games at London and Stockholm and was American commissioner at both events.

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BY PREP.
Late basketball teams in all four divisions played yesterday, three of them losing. The north side Techs, however, split in their two high school contests in the afternoon at Harrison, where the Techs won a walkaway victory, 24 to 6, and the Techs dropped a hot contest to Harrison, 18 to 10. The Lewis Institute junior college quintet enjoyed a romp with Leno College in a league game on the Lewis floor, 71 to 9. In a game at the Lake gym at night, Wilson Badgers beat New Lightweights, 27 to 14.

Hyde Park teams were booked to oppose Evanston High, but because of the inability to get a return card, the contests were called off.

De La Salle Institute lightweights invaded Parker High and easily defeated the midwest five, 38 to 7. Francis Park school five were held to a 6 to 3 margin in a scrappy first half against Church of Atonement bantamweights, but speared in the second half, 20 to 10.

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